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PATENT APPLICATION

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE PATENT BOARD  
OF APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants : Paul O. Sheppard, Laura J. Jelinek  
Serial No. : 09/852,472  
Filed : May 10, 2001  
For : MAMMALIAN NEURO-GROWTH FACTOR LIKE PROTEIN  
Examiner : Michael D. Pak  
Art Unit : 1646  
Docket No. : 97-28C1  
Date : July 29, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents  
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

If the Examiner deems the accompanying Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 does not place the application in condition for allowance, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences the decision of the Primary Examiner dated January 29, 2004.

1. A Petition to extend time to respond is enclosed.
2. An Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 is enclosed.

Applicants claim small entity status. If deemed necessary, please charge the filing fee of \$165.00 for this Notice of Appeal and any additional fees in conjunction with this communication or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 26-0290.

A duplicate of this notice is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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